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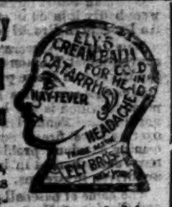

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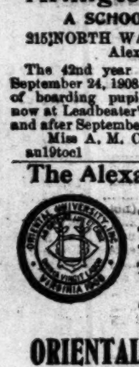

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BECAUSE HER LOVER DRANK.

Unable to stifle the love she had for Bert Willitts, an employe on her father's farm, and unwilling to become the wife of a man she believed to be a drunkard, Miss Lucy Handley, 17 years old, living near Des Moines, Ia., wrote a pathetic note to her parents and then drank carbolic acid. She was missed three days before her dead body, the empty bottle and note by her side were found in an unused corn crib. It was believed at first she had eloped, as Willitts disappeared the day after she did. He was arrested Sunday in Des Moines, to be held pending investigation. He contends he never made any protestation of love to the girl.

The note to her parents, found by her side, reads:

September 10, 1908.

My Dear Parents—I really do not know what to do. I am in sorrow and have hid it as long as possible. I do not just want to die. I rather die than be a drunkard's wife, and I cannot live without him. It is Bert Willitts who I mean. I love him. I worship Bert.

God forgive me for this sin I am about to commit. I know it is wrong. Bury me in my pink dress as near as possible to Mrs. Ringgenberg.

You can read this to Bert. I have my own reason.

God bless you all and help him to quit drinking.

From your loving daughter.

LUCY HANDLEY.

The girl left home last week, apparently light-hearted, saying she was going down the lane to escape the noonday heat. She never returned. Willitts disappeared next day. When arrested, he told the detectives that there was nothing between him and Lucy, and that he left the farm because her parents had accused him of trying to get her to elope with him. He says he never went anywhere with her but to church once, and that her 10-year-old brother was with them at that time. He adds that he never made any protestations of love and did not know that the girl cared for him.

DeWitt's Carbolized Witch Hazel Salve is the best thing to use for piles. Sold by W. F. Creighton & Co.

POLICEMAN EXPLODES DYNAMITE.

One policeman had his right eye blown out and six other men were badly cut and bruised yesterday by the explosion of a charge of dynamite left on an upper floor of the building at 701 Chestnut street, Philadelphia, by cracksmen, who had been foiled in a daring daylight attempt to blow open a safe containing many thousand dollars worth of diamonds and other precious stones.

Officer Campbell, hurried to the diamond establishment to make an investigation. When he arrived he found the key hole of the ground floor plugged. The noise Campbell made in attempting to gain an entrance frightened the cracksmen off. They escaped from a window on the fifth floor down a fire escape to the yard in the rear of 703 Chestnut street, from which they had gained access to the building.

When the police arrived a search of the place revealed the electric battery, a jimmy three feet long, a brace, several bits, enough dynamite to blow out the front of a building, a wrench, a screw driver and several other tools. The dynamite, which was wrapped in a piece of bagging, was carefully placed on one side by Detective Williams. The men then began to examine the battery. While this was going on Policeman Beaumont sought to explain how the burglars intended to blow the safe with the aid of the electric battery. With the others watching, he placed the two wires together, causing the current to form. With a terrific report and a shock that shook the entire building there was an explosion, and the policemen and detectives were hurled against the walls. Beaumont, Williams and Campbell were rendered unconscious, while the others were stunned.

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The Southern Railway announces effective June 1st resumption of sale of tourist excursion tickets to points in Virginia, North and South Carolina, Tennessee, etc., and return. These tickets will be on sale daily until September 30; final return limit October 31, unless otherwise specified. For further information apply to nearest coupon ticket agent, Southern Railway.

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A baldheaded person does not have an equal chance with one blessed with a healthy head of hair, because baldness is too generally accepted as an indication of age. Many large corporations have established an age limit, and refuse to take men over 35 years of age as new employees.

Almost 65 per cent of bald headed people may regain a good head of healthy hair if they will follow our advice and accept our offer. We have a remedy that we positively guarantee to grow hair on any head, unless the roots of the hair are entirely dead, their follicles closed, and the scalp has become glazed and shiny. We want people to try this remedy at our risk, with the distinct understanding that unless it does exactly what we claim it will, and gives satisfaction in every respect, we shall make no charge for the remedy used during the trial.

We know exactly what we are talking about, and with this offer back of our statements no one should scoff, doubt our word or hesitate to put our remedy to an actual test.

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MONDAY EVENING, SEPT. 28, 1908.

ANY MAN who calls himself a democrat, certainly every southern democrat, had his credulity stretched to the limit if he believed as true an article published recently, which was said to be from the pen of Grover Cleveland, and of course a posthumous contribution to the presidential contest. The article first appeared in the New York Times, and was in the opinion of good judges of Mr. Cleveland's style of expressing his thoughts, a cheap and blundering imitation. Its efforts to belittle Mr. Bryan and to exalt Judge Taft were remarkable, inasmuch as neither had been nominated when the article was supposed to have been prepared and Mr. Cleveland at that time being a very sick man. But what was most surprising was an almost sneering allusion to the southern people and leading public men. Henry Watterson in the Louisville Courier Journal at once charged that the thing was a forgery, that Mr. Cleveland could not have been such an ingrate as to so reflect upon a people so proud and sensitive as those of the south—a section that in three elections had solidly supported him, Mr. Hastings, the executor of Mr. Cleveland at the time of its publication, thought perhaps it might be Mr. Cleveland's writing but it appears he has changed his mind, for now he says to the New York Times:

Since our interview of September 22 there has come to my knowledge "evidence" which leaves in my mind no doubt of the fact that the said article was not written or signed by Grover Cleveland, and, therefore, is, in my opinion, no longer entitled to credit as his production. Mrs. Cleveland, in my judgment, was right regarding it when she positively declared to us since its publication, "I do not believe it is genuine."

The Times has called upon Mr. Hastings for the "evidence" he mentions in his letter, but will say that Mr. Hastings refused to throw further light upon the matter when seen Friday, saying:

You must see John G. Carlisle, I have promised not to say anything. Mr. Carlisle has told me to refer to him.

The desperation of the republicans in this campaign is remarkable, but it is an old story, and can be repeated that a party that has stolen one presidential election and purchased two, will not hesitate to play the ghoul, and reach into the grave of the only democratic president since the war and attempt to make him the medium of an assault upon a party and a people from whom he received all his honors.

MR. WILLIAM J. BRYAN'S reply to President Roosevelt's charges was given out in Milwaukee on Saturday. The writer ably defends his knowledge of Governor Haskell against the charges which have been brought against him until the charges can be examined in some court where partisanship does not bias. Mr. Bryan speaks of the election of Mr. Haskell as Governor of Oklahoma and says that the constitution was adopted and that Governor Haskell was elected in spite of the efforts of Mr. Roosevelt's administration and in spite of the speeches made in Oklahoma by Mr. Taft. Mr. Bryan charges among other things that the steel trust, with Mr. Roosevelt's express consent, purchased one of its largest rivals and thus obtained control of more than 50 per cent. of the total output. Mr. Bryan asks the president if he will insist that in permitting this he showed less favor to the monopolistic corporations than the writer in opposing it. Mr. Bryan abruptly charges that Governor Hughes, quoted by President Roosevelt as having "riddled the democratic trust remedy," was himself the beneficiary of the trusts, and cites the campaign contributions to the Hughes election fund two years ago. Among these are J. P. Morgan, John D. Rockefeller, Andrew Carnegie and William Nelson Cromwell. Pursuing this subject further, Mr. Bryan says that as the president quotes Governor Hughes he takes it for granted that Judge Taft has not expressed himself satisfactorily on the trust question.

PRESIDENT ROOSEVELT had a four-column letter in the papers this morning purporting to be an answer to attacks on the administration by Mr. W. J. Bryan. The missive is as disappointing as his previous letters. Considerable space is devoted to recent half-hearted movements made against certain illegal combinations and the fines paid by the same. The president has much to say concerning Governor Haskell as well as contributions to Mr. Bryan's campaign fund in 1896. Mr. Roosevelt, as in his former letter, quotes newspaper extracts attacking Governor Haskell and Mr. Bryan, and, as might have been expected, lands Judge Taft. Mr. Bryan will doubtless experience no difficulty in answering the president's attacks.

IT IS now stated that Arthur Vorys, now chief of staff on Mr. Taft's campaign, was held guilty of improper acts as a pension attorney in withholding pension money belonging to needy claimants and was disbarred from practice. The order for Vorys' disbarment from practice before the Interior Department was issued March 7, 1882, by Colonel Dudley, then commissioner of pensions. It continued in effect until November 5, 1897. Now Vorys should be forced to go.

From Washington.

[Correspondence of the Alexandria Gazette.]

Washington, Sept. 28.

All the members of the Interstate Commerce Commission are at present in Atlanta, Ga., where they are conducting an investigation, but subordinates of the office are much interested in briefs filed by Frank L. Neall, of Philadelphia to the effect that the sugar trust is receiving what practically amounts to rebates from the New York Central and other railroads. The matter is regarded by them as of considerable importance.

Accidents in the coal mines of the United States last year, resulted in death to 3,125 men, and injury to 5,316 more an increase of 1,033 in the number of deaths and 516 in the number of injuries over the record for the proceeding year, according to a report issued today by the Geological Survey. The third record marks the year, in all other respects the most prosperous, says the report, as one of the worst in the history of the country. Even the above figures, however, fail to represent the full extent of the disasters.

The first of a series of battle command target practices that have been inaugurated in the coast artillery corps has produced remarkable results at Fort Monroe, according to a report which has reached the War Department. With ten-inch guns, 7 shots out of 8 scored at a distance of 7,000 yards on a target supposed to represent the outlines of a battleship. The target was being towed at the rate of about 12 miles an hour.

Eager to supply the American navy, as well as the army with flying machines for war purposes, Wilbur Wright will hasten to conclude the aeroplane flights he is making in Europe, with the object of winning various prizes offered, and will return directly to the United States. The Navy Department desires to have four airships ready for its use as soon as possible, and the plans and specifications have now almost been completed by Lieutenant George O. Sweet, the naval aeronautic observer. The physicians in attendance upon Orville Wright, who was injured in the fall of his machine at Fort Myer recently, having declared that he will be unable to resume his work for several months, the presence of his brother, Wilbur, is necessary, in order to enable them to compete for the big naval contract.

The president today appointed Joseph Stewart, of Missouri, to be second assistant postmaster general, in the place of James T. McCleary, resigned. Mr. Stewart is now superintendent of the division of railway adjustment.

Col. William F. Stewart, the "American Dreyfus," who has been living in enforced exile, at the ungarrisoned post of Fort Grant, Arz., for the past year, because he was considered by his superiors as "temperamentally impossible," reported today at the War Department. He has been ordered to report to Washington for trial before a retiring board, which will determine whether or not he is to remain in the active service. The board will probably meet tomorrow. Col. Stewart has never felt better in his life than he does now. Col. Stewart was accompanied to the department by his brother, Charles Stewart, a lawyer of San Francisco. It is understood that Mr. Stewart is preparing to a strong battle in his brother's behalf, and to this end he has engaged counsel to make.

The efforts of the Washington police to keep back a crowd that assembled on Ninth street between D and E on Saturday night where a man had been run over by a street car brought on a riot which resulted in seven men being arrested.

President Roosevelt today announced that he would recommend in his forthcoming message to Congress the amalgamation of the pure food, marine hospital, meat inspection and other health bureaus of the government. His idea is to give the new organization all the potency of an executive department but without representation in the Cabinet.

Representative H. L. Maynard, of Virginia, asked the president yesterday to have the battle fleet end its tour at starting place at Hampton Roads. The president expressed himself as much impressed with the idea but could give Representative Maynard no positive assurances.

LETTER FROM THE PRESIDENT.

President Roosevelt late last night made reply to Mr. W. J. Bryan's recent speech, in which he maintained that the democratic party and platform were not getting a "square deal" in the campaign that the president's professions of fair treatment entitled them to. Mr. Roosevelt's reply deals particularly with Mr. Bryan's assertion that the administration has been neither sincere nor effective in the prosecution of trusts. Mr. Roosevelt denies this charge and sets forth in detail what has been done under his direction toward curbing the tendency of capital to centralize with a view to destroying competition.

Mr. Roosevelt announces that he will make no reply to Mr. Bryan's charge that he has improperly used his great office, with its prestige and influence, to force upon his party a candidate it did not want and upon the nation a president of his personal choosing. To Mr. Bryan's demand to know why the republican campaign managers will not make public before election the names of the contributors to the campaign, Mr. Roosevelt says that he emphatically approves a contrary course, and the books will remain closed until after election.

Mr. Roosevelt declares that Mr. Bryan's election will cause calamity to the nation's business and morals, and then fiercely attacks the policies advocated by Mr. Bryan 12 years ago.

A great part of the reply deals with the Foraker and Haskell matters, and it includes a defense of the administration's course in allowing the Prairie Oil Company to enter Oklahoma.

A man about 55 years of age, who declines to tell anything of himself, but who is believed to be Samuel Dearing, of St. Paul, Minn., is at the University Hospital, Baltimore, in a serious condition with his throat and both wrists cut. He was found Saturday morning on the road near Texas, in Baltimore county, and declared that he had been robbed and assaulted by two negroes. He was given medical attention.

Virginia News.

The 25th annual convention of the W. C. T. U. met at Roanoke today.

Samuel Wright, of Loudoun, county, was drowned in the Potomac river, near Brunswick, Md., on Saturday.

The stores of William Willingham and R. C. Wood, of Houston, were burned Saturday night in a fire that for a while threatened the entire town.

Virginia opened her football season at Charlottesville, Saturday, by defeating William and Mary College, 11 to 0, in 30 minutes of play.

Charles H. Sharpe, superintendent of the Manchester Water Works, was on Saturday indicted on 13 counts for alleged peculations.

Col. Samuel B. Paul died on Saturday at Petersburg. He was 82 years of age and a native of Petersburg. During the war between the States he served on the staff of Gen. Beauregard.

Miss Merie Goode, daughter of High Constable R. B. Goode, of Lynchburg, died yesterday at the Lynchburg Sanatorium after an operation on Friday for appendicitis.

Thirty cars loaded with coal were wrecked at Zuni, on the Norfolk and Western Railway, fifty miles west of Norfolk yesterday afternoon. A negro trainman was killed. Traffic was blocked on the road.

Miss Margaret Alice Beavers, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Oscar L. Beavers of Pillomont, Loudoun county, and Mr. Charles J. Cassell, of Wytheville, were married at the parsonage of the Southern Methodist Church, in Leesburg, Wednesday, Rev. W. D. Keene officiating.

With nearly 200 race horses and a train load of prize stock, the Lynchburg fair grounds yesterday presented an animated scene, and today all of the final arrangements for the third exhibition of the Interstate Fair Association will be completed.

Maj. Benjamin L. Blackford, 74 years old, who was a lieutenant in charge of engineers in the Confederate army, died on Friday in Staunton. Mr. Blackford was a brother of Mr. L. M. Blackford, principal of the Episcopal High School near this city. Mr. Blackford leaves three daughters.

Representative Maynard and National Committeemen Alvah H. Martin and George F. Adams left Norfolk last night for Washington, where today they will see President Roosevelt relative to an effort to induce him to have the battleship fleet come first to Hampton Roads on its return home. The president has agreed to receive them.

Dr. Carter Helm Jones, one of the most talented and best known ministers of the Southern Baptist Church, for the past year pastor of the First Church of Lynchburg has tendered his resignation, to be effective at once. He will go to the First Baptist Church at Oklahoma City, his pastorate to begin there October 1.

Fire partly destroyed the plant of the Royster Guano Company, at Pinners Point yesterday. The tug Hinton went aground in trying to assist in the fire fighting. The loss is estimated at $35,000. Thousands of tons of kanito and other materials used in the manufacturing of fertilizers, were completely destroyed by fire.

The contract for the construction of the largest coal pier in the world has been awarded by the Virginia (Tidewater) Railroad to A. M. Walkup, of Richmond. It is to be erected at Sewells Point, the deepwater terminus of the road. The work will begin in a few days. The road expects to handle more coal than all the Virginia railways combined, and the coal will be shipped from this pier.

FIND SLAIN WOMAN'S BODY.

The mutilated body of Mrs. Francis Schultz was found by the police yesterday afternoon in a room on the ground floor of a tenement house at 105 Forsyth street, New York, right under the tenement occupied by Mrs. Annie Schultz, her mother-in-law.

Her throat had been cut, her eyes blackened, her nose broken and the palm of her hand slashed, where she had seized the knife which the murderer used.

In the rear areaway the police found bloodstained clothing which was identified by Mrs. Schultz as the property of the husband of the murdered woman.

Schultz and his wife had been separated several months, and Friday night the husband went to the home of his mother-in-law, Mrs. Siegel, he said, to effect a reconciliation. He and his wife let the house, and nothing more was seen of the woman until her body was found yesterday afternoon.

Coroner Shrady said the woman had been dead twenty-four hours.

The police have sent out a general alarm for Schultz and are holding his mother as a witness.

MR. TAFT'S ANSWER.

In a brief statement at Minneapolis, Judge Taft on Saturday made answer to the criticism of himself by Senator Foraker. He had recommended Judge Doyle, a private individual, for appointment as judge, he said, because of Doyle's great professional attainments and high character. In doing so he explained to the president that Doyle had acted as attorney for the Standard Oil Company and other corporations. The president had chosen to appoint Judge Taylor instead. As to Mr. Foraker, Mr. Taft commented that he argued that this was a justification for him, while a senator of the United States, in accepting employment from the Standard Oil Company and in making what was in effect a newspaper partnership with the Standard Oil Company to control an organ of public opinion.

As to the second charge of Mr. Foraker, that Judge Taft rode to Middle Bass in the private car of Mr. Lewis, and on the yacht of Commodore Richardson, of the alleged glass trust, Mr. Taft declared that he used a private car for which he paid, and that the boat he rode on was that provided by the Middle Bass Club, whose guest he was at the time.

Make a note now to get Ely's Cream Balm if you are troubled with nasal catarrh, hay fever or cold in the head. It is purifying and soothing to the sensitive membrane that lines the air-passages. It is made to overcome the disease, not to fool the patient by a short, deceptive relief. There is no cocaine nor mercury in it. Do not be talked into taking a substitute for Ely's Cream Balm. All druggists sell it. Price 50c. Mailed by Ely Bros., 56 Warren Street, New York.

News of the Day.

Bryan and Taft exchanged courtesies, at Memphis, yesterday, but failed to meet on account of other engagements.

Fire is causing havoc in the Adirondacks, one village being already wiped out and another partly destroyed.

It is estimated that the loss caused by the forest fires throughout the country will reach $100,000,000.

The police of Cleveland, O., are looking for Michael Horsam, who sold his wife and furniture to a boarder for $15.

Edward Moot, of Weathersfield, Vt., on a wager, between sunrise and sunset on Saturday cut, chopped, split and piled five cords of wood.

Confederate veterans rendered military honors when the widow of the late General Braxton Bragg was buried beside her husband at Mobile on Saturday.

Dr. J. A. S. Crossland, formerly United States minister to Liberia and a negro political leader, was arrested at St. Joseph, Mo., yesterday on a charge of grand larceny.

More than two hundred and fifty thousand persons yesterday marched through the streets of London to Hyde Park, where a resolution condemning the licensing bill was adopted.

Mrs. Abbie B. Rice, of Omaha, declares that when Dr. Frederick Ruskin released her from an agreement to die together he stated that he had engaged Charles E. Davis to kill him.

By reason of the protracted drought B. F. Barnes, of Morrisville, Pa., was able Saturday to accomplish the unprecedented feat of driving a horse and wagon across the Delaware river through Trenton Falls.

Miss Edith North, aged twenty-one years, died at the Western Maryland Hospital, Cumberland, yesterday morning from typhoid fever. She had been a nurse at the institution for over a year She was a daughter of J. C. North, of Keyser.

The eleventh annual conference of the Eastern Public Education Association, comprising state and city superintendents of 40 educational bodies from Maine to Virginia, and east of Pittsburg, will convene in Washington today and be in session until October 3.

In lighting a cigarette, Howard Smith set fire to the gasoline in John T. Flood's launch, in Curtis Bay, near Baltimore, Saturday night, and in an instant the boat was ablaze. Smith leaped overboard to escape the flames and was drowned.

Mr. Charles B. Roberts, jr., who was shot on the boardwalk at Atlantic City, left his room in the hospital there for the first time Saturday. He spent the entire afternoon on the roof garden of the hospital, where he received several callers.

A tragedy occurred at Camp Jessman, Manila, Saturday night, resulting in the death of Lieutenant Edward J. Bloom, of the Fourth Infantry, and Private Suttles, Company K, of the same regiment. Suttles, for some reason, shot Bloom and then cut his own throat. Suttles died immediately, but Bloom lingered until Sunday night.

In corroboration of the discovery that he alleged posthumous article of the late ex-President Cleveland, saying that he intended to support Taft, was a forgery, the declaration is made that Mr. Cleveland declined to appoint Judge Taft to the Supreme Court. This assertion is made in Washington by Rev J. Milton Waldron, president of the National Negro Political League.

While engaged in preparing a blast on the new third track of the Lackawanna Railroad Company at Cross Keys, a small station near Tobyhanna, Pa., yesterday morning, a foreman and his four assistants, employed by the Hyde & McFarland Construction Company, of New York city, were killed by an explosion of twenty pounds of dynamite.

J. William Miller, dealer in vehicles and agricultural implements, with stores at Winchester, Va.; Charles Town and Martinsburg, W. Va., has made an assignment for the benefit of creditors. The liabilities are over $43,000, $25,000 of which is due Winchester banks which are secured.

Justice Mills at White Plains, N. Y., on Saturday, ruled that Harry K. Thaw shall have a hearing as to his sanity but not a jury trial. Mr. Jerome has dropped out of the case and Thaw's acquittal is predicted. Jerome said he did not feel justified in incurring any more expense to his office in connection with the case outside of his own county.

Fred D. Yungling, a son of the late David G. Yungling, the brewer, died yesterday afternoon in the prison ward of Bellevue Hospital in New York, from acute alcoholism. He had been arrested in Yonkers Saturday night after having jumped his bond, subsequent to arraignment following the issuing of worthless checks to an amount of $137,50.

Herman Ridder, of New York, has been appointed treasurer of the democratic national committee to succeed Gov. Haskell, of Oklahoma, whose resignation was demanded by Mr. Bryan. He says: "I am going to do everything in my power to help the democratic party to win, because I think that it will be only by the election of the democratic ticket that the people of the country will have a chance of relief from the extortions of the trusts which are being protected by the high tariff."

His face, hands, head and his nude body covered with lacerations and bruises, Frank Parker, aged 35 years, of 619 Orleans place, northeast Washington, said to be employed at the government printing office, was found early yesterday morning in the Baltimore and Ohio signal tower, at Second street and Florida avenue northeast. He declared he had been waylaid by two negroes, beaten insensible, and robbed of his clothing and valuables. He is at Casualty Hospital. His condition is serious.

After a fierce encounter Saturday afternoon with two alleged green goods men in a room on Mulberry street, Baltimore, Post Office Inspector Hal B. Mosby, of Virginia, succeeded in arresting one man, who is believed to be the ringleader, and shot at the other, who made good his escape through the window. Mosby went alone to the furnished room house, where the men made their headquarters, in the guise of a prospective purchaser of $3,000 of cleverly-counterfeited money for $1,000 of genuine money, and while pretending to be negotiating for the purchase of the bogus money, he made the arrest.

Today's Telegraphic News

Tuberculosis Congress.

Washington, Sept. 28.—With representatives from thirty foreign countries, and forming the largest and most distinguished gathering of medical scientists ever held, the sixth international congress on tuberculosis opened its deliberative sessions today in the assembly hall of the new National Museum.

Acting as proxy for President Roosevelt, who is honorary president of the congress and who was unable to attend the initial session, Secretary of the Treasury Cortelyou made the welcoming address.

Commissioner Macfarland welcomed the delegates on behalf of the government of the District of Columbia, and reviewed the work being done in the nation's capital to combat the tuberculosis scourge.

Speeches responsive to the welcoming addresses were made by one delegation each from the various foreign countries represented in the congress. Prominent among these was Dr. Robert Koch, of Germany, discoverer of the bacillus of consumption.

Following the opening session this morning, the congress broke up into sections, which will meet daily during the week for the discussion of the best means of conquering the "white plague." The sections are seven in number.

The congress will not meet again in a body until Saturday, when it will sum up the work of the week and adjourn to meet three years hence in some other country.

The President's Attack on Bryan.

New York, Sept. 28.—Discussing President Roosevelt's epistolary attacks on Bryan at national democratic headquarters here today, Norman E. Mack, declared: "So far as I can see, they have helped the democrats. They are allright. I shall be glad if they continue so long as I don't have to read them."

"August Belmont called to pay his respects the other day, did'nt he? Have you had any other callers well-known in the financial world?" he was asked.

"Well, Mr. Belmont called, but all he paid was respects. We have had no money from Wall street men." Mr. Mack refused to give any reason for his unexpected return to New York today. He will go west at the end of the week with Herman Ridder, the new national democratic treasurer.

King Gives Consent.

Rome, Sept. 28.—King Victor Emanuel has not only given his consent to the marriage of his cousin, the Duke of the Abruzzi, to Miss Katherine Elkins, but is furthering the plan for a magnificent escort of battleships for the return trip of the duke and his bride from America where the wedding will take place. While it is not officially stated that this fleet will go to America to serve as an escort for the duke, there is absolutely no doubt that this is the intention. The king has advised that the wedding take place at the same time as the presidential election in America, in the belief that the papers will be so full of politics at this time that they will not be able to give the affair as much publicity as otherwise.

Cold Wave.

Chicago, Sept. 28.—The temperature dropped from 80 at one o'clock yesterday to 40 in this city at six o'clock this morning. Rain which ended the long drought from which Chicago has been suffering fell steadily. Throughout the west and southwest the same conditions prevailed. Missouri, for the first time in 20 years, was visited by a snow storm, and Oklahoma was swept by a biting wind that sneaked over into Kansas. In Wisconsin a heavy rain fell and has effectually checked the forest fires. The cold wave distributed itself over the northwest in the wake of the rain. The chilliness originated in Montana and the Dakotas, according to the weather man.

Marine Disaster.

New York, Sept. 28.—Another disaster at sea caused by the recent West Indian hurricane was reported here today, on the arrival of Captain Morris, of the schooner Mary B. Judge, which was abandoned. Captain Morris arrived on the steamer Carolina from San Juan. He told of the wrecking of his vessel by the hurricane, during which George McCoy, the mate, was washed overboard. Captain Morris and his men lashed themselves to the after house and after three days' suffering were rescued by the steamer Julia Luckenbach and taken to San Juan. The Mary B. Judge was built at Milton, Del., in 1834.

Automobile Plunges Into River.

Pittsfield, Mass., Sept. 28.—A big sixty horse power Limousine car of Mrs. Henry Dibble, sister of the late Marshal Field, plunged into the Housatonic river from a 25-foot embankment late last night. The chaffeuer, who was taking out a party of his own friends, lies at a hospital today with probably fatal injuries. He was caught under the automobile and crushed. His companions, a young woman and a man, landed in the river unhurt.

Suspected of Wife Murder.

New York, Sept. 28.—The police are searching for Isaac Schultz, who is suspected of the murder of his wife, Mrs. Fannie Schultz, daughter of one of the wealthiest householders of the Jewish colony. Mrs. Schultz, who had not been living with her husband for months, was found dead yesterday, with her throat cut and stab wounds in her heart, in a vacant room on the ground floor of the house in which live the parents of the suspected man. Schultz's mother, who discovered the body, has been arrested as a witness.

Train Robbery.

St Petersburg, Sept. 28.—A band of thirty train robbers held up the St. Petersburg Express today near Vilna, shot down the train guard of six men, robbed the express car of between $75,000 and $100,000 and made their escape. The robbers captured a way station shortly before the arrival of the train and bound and gagged the attendants. They opened fire on the guards as the train pulled in and shot them down before they could seize their guns. Two of the guards were killed.

LETTER TO E L DAINGERFILD

Alexandria, Va.

Dear Sir: Two facts to remember about paint.

1st. Every job painted Devoe takes less gallons than of any other paint.

2nd. The paint that takes least gallons wears longest; Always. We can't help it.

Yours truly,

F W DEVOE & Co.

P. S.—E. S. Leadbeater & Sons sell our paint. 11t2

MR. BRYAN'S REPLY.

With all the famed powers of his eloquence, Mr. Bryan at Milwaukee on Saturday night leveled at President Roosevelt one of the most scathing philippic that ever marked a presidential campaign.

Taking up Mr. Roosevelt's recent letter to him, Mr. Bryan met all the charges therein in their order, proved that the president had built up a structure of words without facts whereon to base it, swept aside as impertinent and ridiculous the insinuations against his own sincerity, referred the whole Haskell matter to the courts, where it can be settled without partisan bias, taunted his opponent for dodging a question about campaign contributions, and then, in two measured paragraphs, fairly scathing in their scorn and denunciation, told Mr. Roosevelt that he has violated the trust of the nation and has prostituted his great office in his own selfish and partisan desires.

Mr. Bryan speaks of the election of Mr. Haskell as governor of Oklahoma, and says that "the constitution was adopted and Gov. Haskell was elected in spite of the efforts of your administration and in spite of the speech made in Oklahoma by Mr. Taft."

Mr. Bryan in his condemnation of the president travels in the highest paths of eloquence and invective, bringing the chief magistrate squarely before the bar of public opinion to answer for misuse of the sacred trust and powers vested in him. Here is one of his paragraphs:

Following this, Bryan turns to ridicule and speaking of his own aspirations, says:

"I am sanguine enough to believe that if entrusted with power I would be able to make my administration so successful that the members of my party could, without interference from me, select the one most worthy to carry on the work begun by me, so successful that it would not be necessary for me to defend in bulletins or pronunciamentos. I think I could in this way give to the members of the opposite party as well as to members of my own party a 'square deal.'

Another affair taken up in the Bryan reply to Roosevelt is the quotation made by Mr. Roosevelt from a speech by Governor Hughes, attacking the democratic plank on trusts. Mr. Bryan points out that Governor Hughes can hardly be accepted as an unbiased authority upon such a subject, since his own campaign fund included contributions as follows: From J. P. Morgan, $20,000; J. D. Rockefeller, $5,000; Andrew Carnegie, $5,000; Charles M. Schwab, $2000; John W. Gates, $2,000; E. W. Corey, $2,000.

Pursuing this subject further, Mr. Bryan says that as the president quotes Gov. Hughes he takes it for granted that Judge Taft has not expressed himself satisfactorily on the trust question.

Mr. Bryan charges, among other things, that the steel trust, "with your express consent," purchased one of its largest rivals and thus obtained control of more than 50 per cent of the total output. He asks the president if he will insist "that in permitting this you showed less favor to the monopolistic corporations than I do in opposing them."

Mr. Bryan also takes issue on the "moral uplift" question, and assails the president for taking advantage of his official position to rush Taft's candidacy for the nomination. Among other things Mr. Bryan says:

"I might question your ability to act as an expert as to panic preventives, since you now have one on your hands.

"Are you willing to say that any public interest was served in 1904 by concealing until after election the contributions made to the republican campaign fund?

"I dare to compare my efforts for the moral uplift of the nation with his (Taft's) efforts, my deeds with his deeds, and the policies to which I am committed, and more than that, if I may assume that he will follow in your footsteps, I dare to compare my ideal of the presidency with his. I do not regard it as proper for the president to use his prestige, his influence or his patronage to aid one member of his party as against another who aspires to office, and I regard it as a violation of the obligation that the president owes to the whole people to use an office that belongs to the whole people as a party asset for the advancement of a personal friend and a political protege."

"I believe I would be able to make my administration so successful that it would not be necessary for me to defend it in bulletin or pronunciamentos."

Finally, he issues a challenge to the republicans to publish all their campaign contributions before election.

Mr. Bryan telegraphed the reply to President Roosevelt Saturday night, paying the charges from his own pocket.

Six Men Drowned.

Chicago, Sept. 28.—At daylight today police began searching for the bodies of six men drowned when the launch Lemon struck a pier of a bridge in the Calumet river and sank. Elmer Westergreen, owner of the launch and the only man rescued, is held by the police because his explanation of the accident did not satisfy them. Westergreen was rescued by the watchman at the bridge. Efforts were made to rescue the other victims but they could not be found.

TELEGRAPHIC BREVITIES.

A clash occurred between the liberals and conservatives at Sancti Spiritus, Cuba, yesterday, in which one man was killed and a dozen injured. The disturbance was caused by one of the conservatives who carried a Spanish flag and waved it in the faces of some of the spectators.

Bulgaria today notified Germany and Austria-Hungary that she would be unable to heed their protest against the seizure of that part of the Turkish oriental railway that is in Bulgarian territory. Germany and Austria-Hungary are both friendly to Bulgaria in her fight for independence from Turkey, but their commercial interests in the railway make the Bulgarian control of the road of doubtful expediency.

Herman Ridder, successor to Governor Haskell, as treasurer of the democratic national campaign committee, today voiced his reply to criticisms of his attitude toward labor made at yesterday's meeting of the Central Federated Union in New York. "I have never employed any other than union labor in all my life," is the answer Mr Ridder will make a committee of the C. F. U. when it calls upon him today.

Confident that next summer will bring Russia such a cholera epidemic as never has been known, revolutionary societies, according to reports received at Geneva, today, are preparing to take advantage of the attending confusion for a desperate effort to overturn the czar's government. The revolutionists say the bureaucracy will be frightfully hampered in its defensive warefares, and between pestilence and bombs the worst is feared.

One girl died this morning in the Medico-Child Hospital, Philadelphia, a victim of gas, and in other institutions four other young women who tried to end their sorrows are hovering between life and death.

One man was killed and more than a dozen were badly injured in a collision between two trolley cars in Brooklyn today.

New Jersey democrats assembled in state convention at Trenton today and nominated the Bryan and Kern presidential electors.

Five thousand acres in Pike county, Pa., much of which is the best game country in northeastern Pennsylvania, has been burned over by forest fires. Scarcity of water is becoming a serious problem. Water for ordinary use is hauled in barrels and the cattle are driven to streams.

The game of baseball between the Chicago and Cincinnati Nationals was postponed today on account of cold weather.

The steamship Cleveland, the latest acquisition of the Hamburg-American line, was launched at Hamburg yesterday.

Allen S. Towson, formerly with the Washington Press, was found dead in bed today at Whittier's Inn., Seagate, L. I. Heart disease is thought to have been the cause of death.

One employee was killed and a number narrowly escaped serious injury when the four-story warehouse of the Gordon and Pew Fisheries Company at Jefferies Point, East Boston, collapsed today a few minutes before noon. The dead man, Edward Mason, was caught and crushed by the falling masonry.

The drought from which New England has suffered almost since the beginning of summer, will be broken tonight, and according to the weather bureau the rain will continue tomorrow.

In the wreck of a military train today between Fianss and Ashabad, Russia, twelve persons were killed and 74 injured, many of them fatally.

A two-headed girl baby has come to Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Falen of Bridgeport, Conn. Mother and babe are in the Bridgeport Hospital where the physicians say they believe the child will live.

DeWitt's Little Early Risers are small pills, easy to take, gentle and sure. Sold by W. F. Creighton & Co.

LEAGUE BASEBALL GAMES

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

YESTERDAY'S RESULTS.

Detroit, 5; Philadelphia, 2.

Chicago, 3 Boston, 0.

HOW THEY STAND.

	W	L	Pct		W	L	Pct
Detroit	83	61	576	Boston	70	74	486
Cleveland	84	62	575	Phila'phia	65	77	458
Chicago	83	62	572	Wash'n	61	78	439
St. Louis	79	64	552	New York	47	94	333

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

HOW THEY STAND.

	W	L	Pct		W	L	Pct
New York	90	52	634	Cincinnati	71	77	500
Chicago	93	54	633	Boston	61	84	421
Pittsburg	92	55	626	Brookl'n	48	96	333
Phil'phia	77	65	542	St. Louis	49	98	333

New York Stock Market.

New York, Sept. 28.—After the moderate decline in the first few minutes a strong tone developed. After the first hour dullness prevailed. At midday the majority of issues showed only slight changes from Saturday's close.

Kodol will, in a very short time, enable the stomach to do the work it should do, and the work it should do is to digest all the food you eat. It makes the stomach sweet and it is pleasant to take. It is sold here by W. F. Creighton & Co.

VIRGINIA.—In the Clerk's office of the Corporation Court of the city of Alexandria, on the 18th day of September, 1908.

Dora Bordner vs. John S. Bordner } In chancery.

Memo. The object of this suit is to obtain a divorce from the bond of matrimony with said to the said defendant.

It appearing by an affidavit filed in this cause that diligence has been used on behalf of the complainant to ascertain in what county or corporation the defendant, John S. Bordner, is, without effect, and his whereabouts is unknown: It is Ordered, That said defendants appear here within fifteen days after due publication of this order, and do what is necessary to protect their interests in this suit and that a copy of this order be forthwith inserted in the Alexandria Gazette, a newspaper published in the city of Alexandria, once a week for four successive weeks, and posted at the front door of the Court House of this city.

A copy—Teste

NEVELL S. GREENAWAY, Clerk.

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FINANCIAL.

[No. 651.]

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE

FIRST NATIONAL BANK

AT ALEXANDRIA, VA

At the close of business, September 23, 1908.

RESOURCES

Loans and discounts	$335,236 37
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured	481 70
U. S. bonds to secure circulation	100,000 00
U. S. bonds to secure U. S. deposits	52,000 00
Premiums on U. S. Bonds	3,000 00
Bonds, securities, etc	22,529 41
Banking house, furniture, and fixtures	24,919 77
Other real estate owned	5,501 28
Due from National Banks (not reserve agents)	23,655 78
Due from State banks and bankers	8 46
Due from approved reserve agents	79 025 31
Checks and other cash items	7 483 43
Notes of other National Banks	3,585 00
Fractional paper currency, nickels, and cents	304 23
LAWFUL MONEY RESERVE IN BANK, VIZ:	
Specie $40,119 50	
Legal-tender notes 18,079 00	
	58,198 50
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer (5 per cent of circulation)	5,000 00
Total	$1,220,878 19

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in	$100,000 00
Surplus fund	150,000 00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid	33 005 22
National Bank notes outstanding	100,000 00
Due to other National Banks	32,070 71
Due to State Banks and Bankers	715 35
Due to Trust Companies and Savings Banks	9.306 94
Due to approved reserve agents	2,126 00
Individual deposits subject to check	713,333 74
Demand certificates of deposit	1,227 88
Time certificates of deposit	22,500 00
Certified checks	165 40
United States deposits	51,461 62
Deposit of U. S. disbursing officers	193 70
Reserved for interest	612 03
Liabilities other than above stated	4,149 60
Total	$1,220,878 19

State of Virginia, city of Alexandria, ss:

I, Geo. E. Warfield, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

GEO. E. WARFIELD, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 26th day of September, 1908.

H. B. BURKE, Notary Public.

My commission expires February 10, 1911.

Correct—attest:

C. R HOOFF,
M. B. HARLOW,
GARDNER L. BOOTHE, } Directors.

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Alexandria Gazette.

MONDAY EVENING, SEPT. 28, 1908

Local Matters.

Sun and Tide Table.

Sun rises tomorrow at 5:55 and sets at 5.47. High water at 10 07 a. m. and 10.24 p. m.

Weather Probabilities.

For this section r in and cooler tonight. Tuesd y clearing and much cooler; brisk and possibly high southerly, shifting to northwesterly winds tonight.

OFFICER ASSAULTED.

What may prove a s r ous assault of which Lieutenant James Smith was the victim occurred on King street early yesterday morning. The accused is Frank Wagner, who gives his home as northwest Washington and his occupation as that of a plumber. The assault was occasioned by the lieutenant waking Magner who was asleep on a doorstep, he having been drinking Saturday night. He arose to his feet and struck the lieutenant a terrific blow on the face and felled him to the earth. A young man named Hardy, who was in a lunch room nearby, rushed to the rescue and seized Wagner and held him till the arrival of Officer Rober's who took him to headquart rs and locked him up. Lieutenant Smith was taken to his home and his injuries attended by Dr. Snowden. Wagner says he did not know it was an officer disturbing his rest and did not intend to harm him. He was brought before Justice Caton this morning, and after Lieutenant Smith and several witnesses had testified the prisoner was asked if he had anything to say. Wagn r asserted that he had no recollection of the occurrence, and that all he remembered was being placed in the st tion house. He said he lived in Washington and was a plumber by occupation. The accused was fined $50 and was told that in default of payment he would be compelled to serve ninety days on the chain gang. After the docket had been cleared Henry F. Shay, a Washington plumber, appeared and attempted to show that Wagner was not altogether at fault. He asked Justice Caton to release the prisoner upon the payment of $30. The justice refused to do so and Shay asked the former if he would accept a check on a Washinhton bank for the fine. This was also declined. Shay then started to be censorious on the court. Justice Caton told the plumber that he had better be careful in his language or he would find himself in the cell with Wagner. Shay left the court room, but returned later, to apologize to Justice Caton and paid Wagner's fine.

POLICE COURT.

[Justice H. B. Caton presiding.]

The following cases were disposed of this morning:

Lee Humphries, charged with stealing a gun from M. Gorham, was dismissed.

Robert Wilson, colored, was held for the action of the Alexandria county authorities.

Frank Wagner, charged with assaulting Lieutenant Smith, was fined $50.

Charles McCarty, B. G. Donaldson and Ben Stansbury, charged with being drunk in the street, forfeited their collateral by failing to appear.

Hugh Burke and Jennie Bell, both colored, charged with disorderly conduct, were fined $5 each.

John Gray, charged with drawing a pistol on Walter Meekins, had his case postponed.

DEMOCRATIC RALLY.

A big democratic rally is planned for the Alexandria county courthouse, near Fort Myer, on Wednesday evening. Gov. Claude A. Swanson and Representative C. C. Carlin will be the principal speakers. It promises to be the largest and most enthusiastic meeting held in the county so far. Bryan and Kern banners and streamers are being made, and the courthouse is already heavily bedecked with campaign emblems. A band of fifty pieces will provide music. The present plan is to hold the meeting in the open air, but should rain intervene the courthouse auditorium will be the scene.

SUNDAY DRUNKENNESS.

Chief Goods and Officers Beach and Sherwood yesterday arrested Charles McCarty, B. G. Donaldson and Ben Stansbury for being drunk on the streets. They each left $5 collateral for their appearance before the Police Court this morning, but they could not be found when the cases were called and forfeited the deposit. Notwithstanding the Byrd law, considerable liquor seems to be dispensed in Alexandria on Sunday. It is believed, however, that the stimulant is sold most by people who have no license, and not by regular dealers.

BIRTHDAY TO FRIENDS.

Mr. Fred Russell, a rising young attorney of this city, gave a birthday party to his friends, consisting of an oyster roast, at Mr. John Stamp's farm, Prince George's county, yesterday. It was a delightful affair, the entertainment consisting of songs, speeches, recitations, etc. The party returned late yesterday afternoon with the boats loaded with squash, potatoes, kale, and other things. The host was at his best as an entertainer.

TWENTY-FIFTH ANNIVERSARY.

Robert E. Lee Lodge of the Brotherhood of Railway Trainmen held their 25th anniversary at the Opera House yesterday and rendered the programme published in the Gazette of Saturday. Hon. C. C. Carlin and Mr. T. R. Dodge, vice grand master of the Brotherhood were present and delivered addresses which were entertaining. The appearance of Mr. Dodge at this meeting was a pleasant surprise to the members.

TRIP SPOILED.

Two young men were on their way down Wolfe street yesterday apparently as happy as they could possibly be. They had between them a basket filled with edibles and thirst quenchers. Lo and behold as they reached the square between Royal and Pitt the bottom fell out and the contents scattered. The bottles containing the liquid refreshments were shattered, much to the young men's chagrin.

Kodol will, without doubt, make your stomach strong and will almost instantly relieve you of all the symptoms of indigestion. Get a bottle of it today. It is sold here by W. F. Creighton & Co.

Reduction Sale of Low Shoes, Pumps, Oxfords and Colonial ties, all new effects, latest styles. This is an opportunity, don't miss it. J. A. Marshall & Bro

CIRCUIT COURT FOR THE CITY.

[Judge J. B. T. Thornton, presiding.]

The docket was called and cases set.

The Belle Pre Bottle Co. vs. Southern Railway Co.; fixed for trial Monday, November 9.

Mary C. Hansbrough vs. Southern Railway; dismissed agreed.

Luther Carter vs. Virginia R. Simpson; fixed for trial October 1.

Paducah Cooperage Co. vs. The Mt. Vernon Fire Insurance Company, of Alexandria, in chancery; dismissed at cost of plaintiff.

Ellen C. Daingerfield vs. Henry C. Daingerfield et als.; decree confirming sale to Wm. B. Smoot.

Court adjourned till tomorrow when Judge Harrison will try the case of Southern Railway Co. vs. City Council, a case involving the right of the railway company to use Henry street.

PUBLIC SPEAKING.

The citizens of Alexandria will be favored tomorrow night by the presence of Hon. Samuel Kelley, of Richmond, elector at large from Virginia, and Capt. R. G. Parks, of Luray, who will address them on the political issues which confront the American people, at the Opera House. The meeting will occur at 8 o'clock. The galleries have been reserved for the ladies. The speakers will arrive in the city tomorrow afternoon and Messrs. John A. Marshall, T. A. Fisher and S. L. Monroe will entertain them. The voters are invited to be present at the meeting.

DEAD INFANT FOUND.

A seven-months baby boy was found in Hunting creek yesterday. The body was about 100 yards from the shore opposite New Alexandria. Constable Payne summoned a jury this morning and Justice Wright held an inquest. The verdict was to the effect that the child was still-born. Dr. Caton was present and made the necessary examination.

CORPORATION COURT.

[Judge L. C. Barley presiding.]

Rosa Butt and husband vs. Henrietta Jenkins; suit for sale of property; final decree.

Mrs. Harriet L. Ashby qualified as administratrix of the estate of her late husband and also as guardian of her son, Carroll W. Ashby.

THIEVES IN THE MARKET.

When Mr. E. L. Naylor went to his place of business in the city market this morning he found that someone had stolen his milk bottles and a great many potatoes and cabbage. This is the first robbery reported in the market for some time.

LOST HIS MONEY.

Officer Roberts met with an unfortunate loss yesterday to the amount of $32. He is of the opinion that the money, which was in a small black purse, slipped from his pocket on his way from his home to the station house or on his return. He offers a reward for its recovery.

REPORTED RECOVERED.

It was reported in the city today that the body of a drowned man had been discovered in Hunting creek and taken to Washington. A young man named Oden, has been missing from the Bliss farm, since Aug. 27, and no trace of his whereabouts has been received. It may be the body of Oden, it is said.

SEARCH FOR RUNAWAY SON.

Frank P. Bowman, of Culpeper, Va, was in Alexandria yesterday in search of his 17-year-old son, William, who ran away from home about two weeks ago. By means of a picture which Mr. Bowman had Chief Goods and Policeman Knight identified him as a youth who left this city with a circus several days ago.

PLEASURE PARTY RETURNING.

Messrs. Frank M. Hill, Thomas A. Fisher, John Riley, George Burroughs, George D. Hopkins, and Frank Hamilton, who left for a pleasure trip on the schooner Ella Hill about ten days ago will return this afternoon, after having spent a most delightful time on the bay and lower river.

GO-CART STOLEN.

Mr. Thomas Elliott reports that a go-cart has been stolen from his premises on north Washington street. The theft occurred last Saturday and the thief is unknown.

PERSONAL.

Mrs. Chas. B. Marshall, who has been visiting friends in Fairfax, has returned.

Mrs. Chas Lundgren has returned to Richmond after a pleasannt visit to her brother, Mr. E. W. Starnell.

Mrs. S. E. Starnell has gone to Richmond to spend the winter.

Mrs. James H. Corbitt and her little daughter have returned to their home in Suffolk after a visit to Mr. and Mrs. William A. Smoot, jr.,

Mrs. James M. Love, Miss Virginia Beall Daingerfield and the little Misses Love have returned from a visit to Mrs C. S. Carter in Warrenton.

Mrs. Clarence C. Leadbeater is at Lancaster, Pa, visiting her parents Mr. and Mrs. Milton Alexander.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Fendall, and Mrs. William Bryant, have returned from Charlottesville where they spent the summer.

Mr. S. J. Kaufmann, and daughter of Greensboro, N. C., are are visiting relatives in this city.

Mr. Jas. R. Grigg of Nashville and his daughters, Mrs. Marvin Deaver and Miss Louise Grigg, are in the city visiting the old family home on Columbus street.

Mrs. Harry Catts has returned after a delightful visit of four weeks at Inkerman Pa. While there she was the guest of her sister, Mrs. H. C. Jopling.

Mr. and Mrs. Liebschutz have returned from their wedding trip and will reside in Washington.

Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Swan have returned from New York city.

Mrs. Samuel Bendheim and Miss Minnie Berwanger spent Sunday with their parents in Baltimore.

Mr. and Mrs. George H. LeHew and daughter, Miss Ruth, and Miss E. J. Harding, of Fredericksburg, have returned from an extended northern trip, having visited Buffalo and Niagara Falls and points of interest in Canada.

Kennedy's Laxative Cough Syrup is especially recommended for children. It tastes nearly as good as maple sugar. Sold by W F. Creighton & Co.

The Hess Oxfords, "the finest," reduced. $4.00, $5.00 and $6.50 grades go at $2.90. J. A. Marshall & Bro., 422 King street.

ROLL CALLS.

The special roll call exercises held at the First Baptist Church Sunday School yesterday morning were of a most interesting character, nearly 300 responding as their names were called. The enrollment of scholars numbers 410, with 37 officers and teachers. The school is in a most healthy condition, and is continually adding to i s rolls n w scholars.

Roll call services of the Second Bapt st Sunday School were held yesterday evening. This was largely attended and was a great succes. The church was beautifully decorated and an interesting programme was rendered, consisting of addresses, resolutions and songs. Mr. J. T. Preston with his choir from the First Baptist Church cheerfully assisted in the exercises. The second school is now in a flourishing condition with about 120 officers, teachers and scholars. The present officers are George K. Bender, superintendent; Thomas Henderson, assistant superintendent; H. K. Henderson, treasurer; J. L. Damron, secretary; Miss Virginia Chauncey, organist.

MOTION PICTURES.

The motion picture houses are gaining ground nightly and it is because of their endeavors to please the show-going public. It is an hour well spent to visit either of these houses and you will make no mistake and spend very little money if you take them all in. The whole cost of the three shows is 20 cents and it costs more than that for carfare to leave the city and return home. See the advertisements for change in progamme.

CHARTERS.

The Corporation Commission has granted a charter to the Rosemont Development Company, Incorporated, Alexandria; C. L. Robinson, president, Washington; C. J. W. Rich, secretary and treasurer, Ballston; F. L. Neubeck, Washington. Capital—Maximum $850,000; minimum, $12,000. Objects, real estate business.

LOCAL BREVITIES.

Mrs. Margaret H. Luttrell died at Falls Church on Friday and was buried yesterday.

The infant child of Mr. W. I. Whitson died Saturday night.

Light showers of rain fell last night but today the fall was much heavier. The rain was much needed.

The churches were fairly well attended yesterday, the pulpits being filled by the resident clergy.

A handsome Bryan, Kern and Carlin banner has been hung across King street in front of the democratic headquarters.

Attention is directed to Miss Louise Aitcheson's advertisement of opening of fall and winter millinery.

A marriage license was issued in Washington on Saturday to George D. Caton, of West Falls Church, and Bessie P. Burke, of Oakton.

The Episcopal High School and the Old Dominion football eleven, of this city, played a 0 to 0 game on the former's ground on Saturday evening.

Constable Payne, of Fairfax county, has recovered his pistol which was taken from his pocket last Saturday. The weapon was taken by a practical joker and was returned half an hour later.

Marriage licenses were issued in Washington today to Charles C. Hitt, of Culpeper, and Josie B. Ashby, of Warrenton and to Meloni L. Clark, of Culpeper and Minnie E. Dent, of Alexandria.

Condemning the present wharfage facilities of the District of Columbia, the wharf committee in their annual report to the commissioners, recommend an appropriation of $2,775,000 for the improvement of the water front.

It is understood that negotiations are on for the puchase of the steamer Jamestown. The parties, who are talking of buying the steamer, are from an Ohio port. If she is sold she will be taken to Lake Erie for excursion work there.

Look out for your gas bills. Thursday, October 1st, is the last day discount can be saved on September bills. See notice of Clerk of Gas.

SELECT NORFOLK OYSTERS in all styles at THE ELKTON tonight.

$2.50, $3, and $3.50 Ladies' Shoes, in black and tan, low and high cut, mostly small sizes, offered for a few days only at 79 cents. J. A. Marshall & Bro.

WANTED.—LADY for pleasant employment; guaranteed salary $1 per day; advancement to energetic person; one interested in church work preferred. Address "IMMEDIATE," in care Gazette office.

WANTED—LADY to travel; $10 per week and expenses to start. Advancement to right person. One interested in church work preferred. Address "ENERGETIC," in care Gazette.

LOT FOR SALE.—Lot known as 220 north Columbus street, within half square of Christ Church; 15 feet side alley and back alley. For terms apply to 224 north Columbus street. sep28 3t

LOST.

A CANARY BIRD. Return if found to 211½ Prince street and received reward. sept 28 3t

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Corduroy, Fancy Mixtures and Plain Blue Straight Pants, 50c.

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Extra quality Corduroy Knickerbockers, $1 and $1.50.

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RESOURCES.		LIABILITIES.	
Loans	$631,476.76	Capital	$100,000 00
U. S. Bonds to secure circulation	100,000.00	Surplus	50,000.00
Bonds to secure U. S. Deposit	53,000.00	Undivided Profits	63,807.94
Other Bonds and Stocks		Circulation	96,700.00
Banking House & Real Estate	30,561.56	Deposits	645,452.89
Cash 46,654.56	52,856.97	U. S. Deposit	50,000,00
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Decorated Globes for lamps, 50c to $2.00

Apple Paring Machines will pare, cut and core the apple. Price 75c.

Chopping Bowls, - 15c, 25c and 50c

Slaw Cutters, - - - 5c, 10c and 25c

New line of Dinner Ware just received. 54 piece Dinner Set at $3.50.

ELLIOTT'S,

Cor. Pitt and King Sts.

LADY WANTS ROOM AND BOARD in suburbs of Alexandria near trolley line. Address Mrs. E. S. WEAVER, 225 E street northwest, Washington, D. C. sep24 3t

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Loans and Investments	$857,765 78
U. S. Bonds	152,000 00
Premium on U. S. Bonds	3,000 00
Banking House and Real Estate	30,421 05
Cash	62,037 73
Due from Banks and Reserve Agents	110,171 93
5 Per Cent Redemption Fund	5,000 00
	$1,220,396.49

Liabilities.

Capital	$100,000.00
Surplus and Net Profits	183,005 22
Circulation	100,000 00
Deposits	780,974 32
U. S. Deposits	51,655 32
Other Liabilities	476 63
	$1,220,396.49

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BASKETS.—A good assortment of Lunch and Market Baskets, J. C. MILBURN.

Alexandria Gazette.
MONDAY EVENING, SEPT. 26, 1908

SHIP SINKS; 20 LIVES LOST.

The British ship Loch Finlas, from Port Pirie, south Australia, for Callao, was wrecked off Foster Island at daylight yesterday morning and 20 of the crew of 24 were drowned. The other four men were picked up by a passing steamer.

Foster Island lies a short distance off the northeast coast of Tasmania and it is surrounded by dangerous shoals. Early yesterday the residents of the island observed a large ship in distress. A gale, accompanied by a high sea, was blowing and the vessel soon struck the reef. The crew could be seen trying to lower the boats, when suddenly the ship sank.

To attempt a rescue from the shore was impossible on account of the heavy seas, but a steamer in the distance had sighted the wreck and made all speed to where the ship had gone down. Only four men were found. They were clinging to an upturned boat. They report that the second mate became insane during the height of the storm and jumped overboard. The Loch Finlas was of 2,062 tons burden and was commanded by Captain Dean.

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FINANCIAL.

[No. 1716.]

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE

CITIZENS' NATIONAL BANK
AT ALEXANDRIA, VA.,
At the close of business, September 23, 1908.

RESOURCES

Loans and discounts		$631,029 49
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured		447 27
U. S. Bonds to secure circulation	100,000 00	
U. S. Bonds to secure U. S. Deposits	25,000 00	
Other bonds to secure U. S. Deposits	28,000 00	
Bonds, securities, etc.	30,561 56	
Banking house, furniture, and fixtures	52,856 97	
Due from National Banks (not reserve agents)	37,402 80	
Due from State Banks and Bankers	2,483 46	
Due from approved reserve agents	46,524 72	
Checks and other cash items	3,640 26	
Notes of other National Banks	2,100 00	
Fractional paper currency, nickels, and cents	607 80	
LAWFUL MONEY RESERVE IN BANKS, VIZ:		
Specie	$26,306 50	
Legal-tender notes	14,000 00	
	40,306 50	
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer, 5 per cent. of circulation	5,000 00	
Total		$1,005,969 83

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in	$100,000 00
Surplus fund	50,000 00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid	63,807 94
National Bank notes outstanding	96,700 00
Due to other National Banks	16,846 53
Due to State Banks and Bankers	271 84
Due to Trust Companies and Savings Banks	35 38
Individual deposits subject to check	628,037 59
Certified checks	261 55
United States deposits	50,000 00
Total	$1,005,960 63

State of Virginia, City of Alexandria, ss:

I, Richard M. Green, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

RICHARD M. GREEN, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 26th day of September, 1908.

J. JOHNSTON GREEN
Notary Public.

Correct—attest:
EDW. L. DAINGERFIELD
WORTH HULFISH,
JAMES W. ROBERTS,
M. A. AHERN,
URBAN S. LAMBERT,
Directors.

LEGAL NOTICES.

VIRGINIA.—In the Clerk's Office of the Corporation Court of the city of Alexandria, on the 3rd day of September, 1908.

M. F. Wrenn vs. the Pittsburg Safe Company, a corporation.

Memo. The object of this suit is to recover of the defendant for the plaintiff the sum of $334.88 and to attach and subject the property of the defendant in the city of Alexandria to the payment of said debt.

It appearing by an affidavit filed in this cause that the defendant, The Pittsburg Safe Company, a corporation, is a non-resident of this State: It is Ordered, That said defendant appear here within fifteen days after due publication of this order, and do what is necessary to protect its interests in this suit and that a copy of this order be forthwith inserted in the Alexandria Gazette, a newspaper published in the city of Alexandria, once a week for four successive weeks, and posted at the front door of the Court House of this city.

A copy—TESTE
NEVELL S. GREENAWAY, Clerk.
Robinson Moncure, p. q. sep3 w4w th

VIRGINIA.—In the Clerk's Office of the Corporation Court of the city of Alexandria, on the 14th day of September, 1908.

Florence B. Glover vs. Charles Glover, } In chancery.

Memo. The object of this suit is to obtain an absolute divorce on the grounds of desertion by the complainant, Florence B. Glover, from the defendant, Charles Glover.

It appearing by an affidavit filed in this cause that the defendant, Charles Glover, is a non-resident of this State: It is Ordered, That said defendant appear here within fifteen days after due publication of this order; and do what is necessary to protect his interests in this suit, and that a copy of this order be forthwith inserted in the Alexandria Gazette, a newspaper published in the city of Alexandria, once a week for four successive weeks, and posted at the front door of the Court House of this city.

A copy—TESTE.
NEVELL S. GREENAWAY, Clerk.
Samuel G Brent, P. Q. sep14 w4wm

VIRGINIA.—In the Clerk's Office of the Corporation Court of the City of Alexandria, on the 16th day of September, 1908.

Lula B. Ford vs. Robert Ford, } In chancery.

Memo. The object of this suit is to obtain from complainant a divorce from the bonds of matrimony from defendant; to secure for complainant the custody of the infant child of complainant and defendant, and for general relief.

It appearing by an affidavit filed in this cause that the defendant, Robert Ford, is a non resident of this State: It is Ordered, That said defendant appear here within fifteen days after due publication of this order, and do what is necessary to protect his interests in this suit, and that a copy of this order be forthwith inserted in the Alexandria Gazette, a newspaper published in the city of Alexandria, once a week for four successive weeks and posted at the front door of the Court House of this city.

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NEVELL S. GREENAWAY, Clerk.
Lewis H. Machen, P. Q. sep14 w4ww

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MEETINGS.

ANNUAL MEETING.—Pursuant to its by-laws and order of its Board of Directors, the regular annual meeting of the stockholders of the NATIONAL AUTOMATIC FIRE ALARM COMPANY, of Washington, D. C., will be held at the Hotel Fleischmann, Alexandria, Va., on THURSDAY, the 8th day of October, 1908, at 3 o'clock p. m., for the election of a Board of Directors for the ensuing year and for the transaction of such other business as shall properly come before the meeting. The transfer books will be closed at 4 o'clock p. m. October 1st, 1908, and remain closed until after said meeting.

sep21 2w J. W. FROST, Secretary.

THE annual meeting of the stockholders of THE DEWEY ORE REDUCTION CORPORATION will be held at the office of the corporation, No. 107 north Fairfax street, Alexandria Va., at 2 p. m., FRIDAY, October 2, 1908.

CHAS. W. DRAPER,
sept21 10t Secretary.

THE annual meeting of the stockholders of WASHINGTON BREWERY COMPANY will be held at the office of said company, No. 128 south Fairfax street, Alexandria, Virginia, on MONDAY, October 5, 1908, at 3 o'clock p. m.

S. EHRLICH.
sept21 td Secretary.

NOTICE TO GAS CONSUMERS.

Gas bills for the quarter ending September 1, 1908, having been delivered, this is to notify all customers that the usual discount will be allowed on all bills paid on or before October 1, 1908. After that date no discount will be allowed and delinquents will be required to make early settlement. By order of the Committee on Light,

J. B. WALLER,
sep14 td Clerk of Gas.

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AUCTION SALE.

PURSUANT TO THE TERMS OF A deed of trust dated December 14, 1907, and recorded in the land records of the city of Alexandria, Va., in deed book No. 56, page 435, given by Robert A. Wallace and Ida V. Wallace, his wife, to the undersigned, to secure the debt therein mentioned, default having been made in the payment of the same, and being thereunto required by the beneficiary under said trust, the undersigned will offer for sale, for cash, at public auction on the premises, No. 304 King street, Alexandria, Va., at 12 o'clock m., on

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 10, 1908,

the following personal property, to-wit: Four pool tables, the cues, racks, balls and other equipment thereof, show cases, chairs and other furniture, stock of cigars, tobacco, merchandise and store fixtures, in and upon said premises. JAMES R. CATON,
sep26 td Trustee.

By Samuel H. Lunt, Auctioneer.

BY VIRTUE OF A DECREE ENTERED on the 22nd day of September, 1908, in the chancery cause of John McWilliams, executor, against Annie Webster et als., pending in the Corporation Court of the city of Alexandria, the undersigned will offer for sale at public auction on

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 17, 1908,

at 12 o'clock noon, in front of the Market building on Royal street, Alexandria, Va., all that lot of ground with the improvements thereon at the southeast intersection of Pitt and Queen streets, in said city—No. 227 north Pitt street—fronting on Queen street 15 feet 5 inches and on Pitt street 52 feet 7 inches, with a four feet alley in rear leading into Pitt street, with all appurtenances (see liber Y No 3, page 439), upon the following terms: One-third cash and the residue of the purchase money in two equal payments at six and twelve months, bearing interest evidenced by the notes of the purchaser and secured by a retention of title or deed of trust.

JOHN M. JOHNSON,
Commissioner of Sale.

I, Nevell S. Greenaway, Clerk of the Corporation Court of the city of Alexandria, do hereby certify that John M. Johnson has executed the bond required in the above court.

NEVELL S. GREENAWAY, Clerk.
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Southern mails via Charlottesville close at 7.10 and 10 30 a. m., and 3 20 and 10 30 p. m. Open at 8 00 a. m. and 6 00 p. m.

Southern mails, via Richmond, close at 8 45 and 10 30 a. m., and 3 25, 6 00 and 10 30 p. m. Open at 8 a. m., 12 m and 4 p. m.

Manassas Division mails close at 7 10 a. m. and 3 20 p. m. Open at 12 30 and 9 30 p. m.

Alexandria and Round Hill mails close at 7 45 a. m., and 4 00 p. m. Open at 9 00 a. m. and 2 30 p. m.

Chesapeake and Ohio mails close at 3 20 p. m. and 10 30 p. m. Open at 8 00 a. m. and 6 00 p. m.

Washington mails close at 7 10, a. m. 8 45 and 11 30 a. m., and 2 00, 2 30, 8 15 and 10 30 p. m. Open at 8 00 a. m., 12 00 m. and 4 00 p. m. and 4 30 p. m.

Office Hours—Open at 8 00 a. m. Close at 6 00 p. m.

Sunday Hours—Open at 9 00 a. m. Close at 10 00 a. m.

Carriers' Schedule—Collection made on inside routes—6 30 and 10 00 a. m. and 3 00 and 5 30 p. m. Full route—6 30 a. m. and 5 30 p. m. Sunday collection 5 00 p. m. Carriers' window open Sunday 9 00 a. m. and close 10 00 a. m.

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N. B.—Following schedule figures published only as information, and are not guaranteed.

8:07 A. M.—Daily—Local for Harrisonburg, and way stations.

8:33 A. M.—Daily—U. S. Fast Mail. Stops only for passengers for points south at which scheduled to stop. Fine class coaches, sleepers to Birmingham and drawing-room sleepers to New Orleans. Dining car service.

4:27 P. M. Daily—Washington and Florida limited. Sleeping cars between New York, Augusta and Jacksonville. Through first-class coaches between Washington and Jacksonville. Buffet service. Tourist to California tri-weekly.

4:32 P. M.—Week Days—Local for Harrisonburg and way stations on Manassas branch.

5:12 P. M.—Daily—Local for Warrenton and Charlottesville.

10:17 P. M.—Daily—Washington and Chattanooga Limited (via Lynchburg). First class coach and sleeping cars to Roanoke Knoxville, Chattanooga and Memphis. Sleeper to Birmingham and New Orleans, Washington to Roanoke. Dining car service.

11:02 P. M.—Daily—New York and New Orleans Limited. All Pullman train, club and observation cars to New Orleans. Sleepers to Asheville, Atlanta, an New Orleans. Sleeper to Charlotte. Dining car service.

Through trains from the South arrive at Alexandria 8:26 and 6:13 A. M. and 3:13, 8:13, and 10:28 P. M. daily. Harrisonburg 12:08 P. M. week days and 9:13 P. M. daily. From Charlottesville 7:53 A. M.

TRAINS ON BLUEMONT BRANCH.

Leave Alexandria (W. & O. Station) 8:23 A. M., and 1:40 P. M. week days, and 5:15 P. M. daily for Bluemont; 8:35 P. M. week days for Leesburg; 9:26 A. M. on Sundays only for Bluemont.

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LEAVE ALEXANDRIA,

For Washington, from corner Prince and Royal streets, week days, at 5 45, 6 10, 6 20 6 35, 6 45, 7 00, 7 10, 7 20, 7 35, 7 50, 8 00, 8 15, 8 20, 8 30, 8 50, 9 10, 9 30, 9 50, 10 10, 10 30, 10 50, 11 10, 11 25, 11 30, 11 50 a. m., 12 10, 12 25, 12 30, 12 50, 1 10, 1 25, 1 30, 1 50, 2 10, 2 25, 2 30, 2 50, 3 10, 3 25, 3 40, 4 00, 4 20, 4 30, 4 35, 4 50, 5 10, 5 20, 5 35, 5 45, 6 00, 6 15, 6 30, 6 50, 7 10, 7 30, 8 00, 8 30, 9 00, 9 30, 10 00, 10 30, 11 10 and 11 50 p. m.

Sundays—7 00, 7 35, 8 10, 8 20, 8 40, 9 00, 9 20, 9 40, 10 0, 10 20, 10 40, 11 00, 11 20 and 11 40 a. m., 12 00, 12 20, 12 40, 1 00, 1 20, 1 40, 2 00, 2 20, 2 40, 3 00, 3 20, 3 40, 4 00, 4 20, 4 40, 5 00, 5 20, 5 40, 6 00, 6 20, 6 40, 7 00, 7 20, 7 40, 8 00, 8 30, 9 00, 9 30, 10 00, 10 30 and 11 10 p. m.

FOR MOUNT VERNON.

Leave Alexandria for Mount Vernon, week days, 5 45, 6 52, 8 32, 10 25, 11 25 a. m., 12 25 1 25, 2 25, 3 32, 4 36, 5 35, 7 05 and 8 46 p. m.

Sundays—7 00, 8 30, 9 30, 10 30, 11 30 a. m., 12 3, 1 30, 2 30, 3 30, 4 30, 5 30, 6 30, 7 30 8 46 and 10 16 p. m.

SCHEDULE FOR ALEXANDRIA CITY CAR.

NORTHBOUND.

Leave Ferry Wharf 8 16, 8 41, 9 10, 9 50, 10 25, 11 00, 11 35 a. m., 12 30, 1 05, 1 35, 2 05, 2 45, 3 30, 4 05, 4 35, 5 05, 5 35, 6 30, 7 05, 7 45, 8 25, 9 00, 9 40 p. m.

SOUTHBOUND.

Leave Spring Park 8 05, 8 30, 8 55, 9 35, 10 10, 10 45, 11 20 a. m; 12 15, 12 50, 1 20, 1 50 2 30, 3 15, 3 50, 4 20, 4 50, 5 30, 6 05, 6 50, 7 25, 8 10, 8 45, 9 25, 10 00 p. m.

Washington Southern Ry
Schedule in effect Sept. 6th, 1908.

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